

## Abstract

Method for storing data, method for reading data, apparatus for storing data and apparatus for reading data

The invention relates to two methods for reading and two methods for storing data, and also to an apparatus for compressing data and decompressing data which are provided for storage by a computer system 51 on a bulk memory 60 of the random access type, which computer system provides the data for storage on a bulk memory on the basis of the rules of a file system, where the data are organized in data blocks, where the data blocks contain organization information for managing the data blocks and contain the user information which is to be stored, where cohesive user information areas can be distributed over a plurality of data blocks which are then concatenated to one another using their organization information.

Figure 7